



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Matthias ERNST et al.**

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Examiner: **Trang T. Doan**

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For: **AUTOMATIC, CONNECTION-BASED TERMINAL OR USER  
AUTHENTICATION IN COMMUNICATION NETWORKS**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 15, 2007, and having a response due date set for May 15, 2007. A Petition for one-month Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith, thereby extending the period of response until June 15, 2007. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.